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UNITED STATES PATENT  
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Attorney Docket No. 14684.70

**COMBINED DECLARATION and POWER OF ATTORNEY**  
(Utility, Design, National Stage of PCT)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

**TYPE OF DECLARATION**

This declaration is of the following type:

*(Check one applicable item below)*

- ☐ utility patent application
- ☐ design patent application
- ☒ national stage of PCT patent application

**INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION**

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (*if only one name is listed below*) or an original, first and joint inventor (*if plural names are listed below*) of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**TITLE OF INVENTION<sup>2</sup>**

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING PLANT CONTAINER LINERS  
PARTICULARLY FROM SPHAGNUM MOSS

**SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION**

the specification of which:

*(complete (a), (b), or (c))*

- (a) ☐ is attached hereto.
- (b) ☒ was previously filed September 30, 2004, as United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/509,845.
- (c) ☒ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. PCT/NZ03/00054 filed on March 31, 2003 and as amended under PCT Article § 19 on \_\_\_\_\_ (*if any*).

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claim(s), as amended by any amendment specifically referred to in the declaration, referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

## FOREIGN PRIORITY CLAIM

(35 USC § 119(a)-(d))

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or § 365(a) of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

(complete (d) or (e))<sup>3</sup>

(d) ☐ no such applications have been filed.

(e) ☒ such applications have been filed as follows.

*Note: Where item (c) is entered above and the International Application which designated the U.S. itself claimed priority check item (e), enter the details below, and make the priority claim.*

## PRIOR FOREIGN/PCT APPLICATION(S) FILED WITHIN 12 MONTHS<sup>4</sup> (6 MONTHS FOR DESIGN) PRIOR TO THIS APPLICATION AND ANY PRIORITY CLAIMS UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d)

COUNTRY (OR INDICATE IF PCT)	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING (month, day, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER § 119 or § 365	
PCT	PCT/NZ03/00054	March 31, 2003	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
New Zealand	515579	March 31, 2002	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
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**U.S. PRIORITY CLAIM<sup>5</sup>**  
**(35 USC § 120)**

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 USC § 120 of any United States application(s) or § 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States of America listed below, if any, and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT international application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of title 35 USC § 112, I acknowledge duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in title 37, Code of Federal Regulations § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international application filing date of this application.

UNITED STATES or PCT PARENT APPLICATION NO.	PARENT FILING DATE (month, day, year)	PARENT PATENT NO. (if applicable)

**PROVISIONAL APPLICATION CLAIM<sup>6</sup>**  
**(35 USC § 119(e))**

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 USC § 119(e) of any United States Provisional application listed below, if any.

United States Provisional Application No.	Date of Filing (month, day, year)

**POWER OF ATTORNEY**

I hereby appoint as my attorneys and/or patent agents all attorneys and/or patent agents listed under the following Customer Number, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

<b>022913</b> PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE CUSTOMER NUMBER
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### DECLARATION

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

### SIGNATURE(S)<sup>7</sup>

NOTE: Carefully indicate the family (or last) name, as it should appear on the filing receipt and all other documents.

Full name of sole or first inventor

Perry

(GIVEN NAME)

(MIDDLE INITIAL OR NAME)

Just

FAMILY (OR LAST NAME)

X Inventor's signature Just

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In re application of: )  
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Perry Just )  
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Serial No.: 10/509,845 )  
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Confirmation No.: 7746 )  
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Filed: September 30, 2004 )  
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING )  
PLANT CONTAINER LINERS PARTICULARLY )  
FROM SPHAGNUM MOSS )

**STATUTORY DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.497(d)(1)**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

I, Luke Valor, a New Zealand citizen, of Heaphy Road, Lake Haupiri, Westland, New Zealand, do solemnly and sincerely declare that:

1. I understand that I was named as a co-inventor along with Perry Just in international patent application PCT/NZ03/00054 entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING PLANT CONTAINER LINERS PARTICULARLY FROM SPHAGNUM MOSS, that was nationalized in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on September 30, 2004 as United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/509,845.

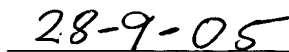
2. I acknowledge that this was incorrect, that I should not have been named as a co-inventor, and that the error in inventorship in the international application occurred without deceptive intention on my part.

3. I consent to the removal of my name as a co-inventor from the national United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/509,845.

I declare that all statements made herein of my known knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.



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**CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.497(d)(3)**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

I, the undersigned, declare that I am an officer of the Christian Church Community Trust that is the assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified patent application by virtue of the assignment attached hereto and that I am authorized to sign on behalf of the Christian Church Community Trust. I understand that Luke Valor was unintentionally added as a co-inventor on international patent application no. PCT/NZ03/00054 entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING PLANT CONTAINER LINERS PARTICULARLY FROM SPHAGNUM MOSS, which application has been nationalized in the above-referenced United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/509,845. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.497(d)(3) I hereby consent to the deletion of Luke Valor as an inventor on United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/509,845.

THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH COMMUNITY TRUST

BY: Fervent Steadfast

NAME: FERVENT STEADFAST

TITLE: Trustee

DATE: 26-09-05

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